

## KING OF BULGARS GOING TO FRONT AT GREEK BORDER

German Troops, It Is Said,  
Will Begin an Invasion  
Within a Week.

ALLIES DIG TRENCHES.

Ready to Give Battle Twenty  
Miles North of Salonica,  
Says Athens Report.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—(Cable) Ferdinand of Bulgaria will arrive at the Bulgarian front in Southern Serbia within a few days, the Salonica correspondent of the Temps reports. Elaborate arrangements are being made for his reception at Monastir, where a large part of the population is Bulgarian.

"The Bulgarians are still halted at the frontier," cabled the Temps correspondent. French and English advance guards have already reached the positions prepared outside.

ATHENS, Dec. 18.—German troops will cross the Greek frontier before the end of next week and renew the assault on the Anglo-French forces, according to latest reports. The information is said to have come from persons close to the German Embassy.

The allies will make their first determined stand about twenty miles north of Salonica. Strong works, begun before the Anglo-French retreat from Serbia, are being completed, and are counted on to check if not stop entirely the Teutonic invasion.

Greek authorities are leading every possible aid to the allies. A high official of the ministry of railways visited Salonica yesterday and conferred with Gen. Sarraill. Arrangements were made for more frequent and speedier communication between Salonica and the Anglo-French front near the Greek border.

Pierce fighting continues in Montenegro and east of the River Drin in Albania, with Austrians, Montenegrins and Bulgarians and Serbs engaged. Along the Serb-Greek frontier operations have ceased completely. Salonica despatches said that not even an exchange of shellfire occurred yesterday.

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 18.—The military critic of the Bund says he has reason to believe the central powers have decided to ask Greece to furnish guarantees that the allied forces on Greek territory will undertake no further offensive operations. Greece, he says, will not be called upon to bring about the removal of the forces from Salonica, but will be expected to see to it that they are restricted to the entrenched camp there. Failing these guarantees, the critic adds, the central powers will institute operations against Salonica.

BERLIN (via wireless to Sayville, L. I.), Dec. 18.—Austro-Hungarian troops have captured 15,000 Montenegrins and Serbs in the last five days' fighting on Montenegrin soil. It was officially announced this afternoon.

In their resistance to the invaders the Montenegrin soldiers have been joined by many young boys. Included among 1,500 prisoners taken in the fighting near Bielopoye were many youths.

"Montenegrin territory in the north-east is a district, from Mojevac down, has been cleared of the enemy," said the War Office.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—"The German Minister's visit to Premier Skouliadis yesterday is said by the press to have had reference to the defensive works that the Entente allies are preparing in Macedonia in the vicinity of Salonica," says a Havas despatch from Athens under date of Dec. 17.

"The Minister represented these works as a danger to German military interests in Macedonia and that Germany would therefore shortly see herself obliged to act."

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## Girl of To-Day Is Coarse and Immodest, Unfit for Marriage, Says Dr. Quackenbos

Indictment Against the Debutantes of New York by Dr. John D. Quackenbos, Famous Hypnotist:

"The Drink Habit Is Growing Among Women—Cocktails and Highballs Are Everywhere—Girls of Good Families, With Painted Faces, Mix Openly in Roof Garden and Cabaret With Up-to-Date Bacchantes."

"Debutantes Drink Wine and Smoke Cigarettes in the Corridors of Hotels—The Girl of To-Day Is Wholly Unfit to Be a Wife and Mother—The Society Woman Who Drinks to Excess Is Almost Without the Pale of Hope."

By Nixola Greeley-Smith.

Dr. John D. Quackenbos told the American Society for the Study of Alcohol and Other Narcotics, at its forty-fifth annual meeting this week, that he has found hypnotism successful in the treatment of all save 20 per cent. of 1,200 cases of alcoholism which had come within his personal experience.

Dr. Quackenbos was formerly professor of English literature in Columbia University, and has written several books on the power of suggestion in the cure of mental and physical ills. He believes and practices that hypnotism can cure unrequited love, business failure, alcoholism and the drug habit. He has treated hundreds of such cases, and he told me yesterday that he regards the society woman who drinks to excess as almost without the pale of hope.

TOO MANY DEBUTANTES SUFFER FROM ALCOHOLISM.

"We live in an age of moral laxness," Dr. Quackenbos said in his office at No. 127 West Seventy-third Street. "Law is disregarded and men and women have no longer any respect for moral or legal restraint. In my youth, if a young woman were seen in a public restaurant drinking a cocktail or smoking a cigarette she was classified immediately with the underworld. To-day debutantes are brought to my office suffering from alcoholism—girls of the best society whose fathers and mothers are as good as any people in the United States. I had one young girl brought to me who had thrown a salt cellar at her father at a dinner party because he had forbidden her to drink any more champagne. And while waiting in my office this astonishing young person showed her nicotine stained fingers to one of the nurses and asked her how to remove the stains. I treat such cases by mental suggestion, talking to the girl of the mental and physical damage which her habits will surely bring to her. By suggestion I impart to her pluck, push, nerve, self-reliance. I strengthen her will and try to bring her into touch with the truth which always emancipates. I must confess, though, that I failed to make any impression on a young girl who was brought to me by her mother and who, so far as I could discover, was addicted to every deleterious habit a young girl could have, including the use of drugs."

Dr. Quackenbos mentioned the name of a young woman who was known as the Lady Elaine of Broadway broilers until her marriage a short time ago to a professional dancer. "I saw her only in the presence of her mother," the physician said, "and perhaps I should have been able to do more for the girl if the two women had not been at daggers' points all the time."

"The drink habit is growing among our women, particularly among women of the leisure class," Dr. Quackenbos added sadly, "but from shopmaid to the pampered dame of society nearly every woman in New York to-day takes her 'little nip.' The punch bowl figures at social functions and proud-pied belles dip freely in it. (Here I must pause to corroborate Dr. Quackenbos. I have seen them do it, you, even in our sedate suburbs—not half so sedate as they seem.)"

MODERN BACCHANTES DANCING AN IMPROPER GREEK DANCE.

"Cocktails and highballs are everywhere and the wanton cordax (this is new, isn't it?) has been revived by dance-mad, up-to-date Bacchantes amid the familiarities of the roof garden and the cabaret."

"Girls of good families, with painted faces, mix openly in the throng. Debutantes assert their right to drink wine and smoke cigarettes openly in public places. We see them putting brazenly in the corridors of hotels. I have had a number here in my office for treatment and young married women have been brought to me in a frightful state of intoxication. To-day girls in their teens see no impropriety in drinking publicly with men companions. And we see a gawky creature, young along the streets, with a made-up face, a skirt to a little below the knees—and you can't tell you pass her whether she is a girl of thirteen or her grandmother."

"Don't you think that the New York woman's desire to appear so young is due to the New York man's crude cult of the 'broiler'?" I asked. "If our tastes are as decadent as you believe, isn't it merely because we strive to please?"

"Decadent is a good word," Dr. Quackenbos replied. "The woman who drinks to excess, who dresses like a child instead of like the matron of thirty or thirty-five she is, is undoubtedly decadent. Few men admire such a type. The girl of to-day is a coarse, boisterous, immodestly attired, non-vivacious, controlled by unworthy impulses and wholly unfit to fulfill her function in the community as a character-former, a wife and a mother. The national force that is wasting, to-day, in America, is woman."

"I believe you consider that increase in drink, the excessive use of alcohol, is confined to the well-to-do?" I interrupted.

"Yes," replied Dr. Quackenbos, "the movies have saved the working man, who to-day realizes that he can take his whole family to a delightful entertainment for the sum he used to throw away in the saloon. The movies have been tremendously valuable in promoting sobriety among the poor."

HE'S A TOTAL ABSTAINER TO KEEP ARTERIES SOFT.

"I notice that you speak always of the excessive use of alcohol. You do not oppose drinking altogether?"

"I am not an extremist. Personally I have ceased to drink any alcohol. I keep my arteries soft and I refrain from eating too much food. That is the reason I feel younger to-day than I did ten years ago. Insurance companies have estimated that the man who moderates drink—say the man who averages one drink a day—shortens his life by about four years. Another thing they have found out is that many men in this country dig their graves with their teeth and fill it in about their sixtieth year. Such men poison themselves with an excess of food. Sixty per cent. of our population works indoors. Men labor all day long in offices, overload their stomachs three times a day, going home at night, exhausted, to swallow a meat dinner out of all proportion to their powers of assimilation, and after dinner they smoke themselves into a poisoned sleep. They take no exercise to burn up what they eat, their nutritive equilibrium is disturbed and corpulence and breakdown follow."

## CITY HEADS DISCUSS "DEATH AVENUE" PLANS

After Seeing Mayor, Prendergast Says Agreement May Be Reached by End of Month.

Mayor Mitchell and Comptroller Prendergast conferred to-day on the question of abolishing "Death Avenue" of the Port and Terminal Committee, a moving spirit in the plan to remove the New York Central's surface tracks from the west side of Manhattan. After the conference Mr. Prendergast said:

"I think all the big questions involved in the west side track problem will be settled before Jan. 1. My conference with the Mayor was to discuss points which had developed in the engineer's investigation. No conclusion have been reached and cannot be until all the data is put in shape by the Port and Terminal Committee and laid before the Board of Estimate."

## Found Dead; Gas Turned On.

Max Goldfarb, fifty years old, a painter and a boy, in the home of Hyman Schermer at No. 125 East One Hundred and Thirtieth Street, was found dead there from gas to-day. The jet was broken. The police decided he accidentally left the gas on when he went to bed.

## News Oddities

BALTIMORE HORSES to have Christmas tree trimmed with apples, loaf sugar, carrots, beets, ears of corn and other edibles, a treat from wealthy women.

WOMEN NEUTRALS leaving Germany are bathed to erase possible spy messages written in invisible ink on their skin.

MILLVILLE, N. J., man has received \$1 from man who says he stole two chickens from him thirty-five years ago and has troubled conscience.

WHILE ON A LADDER adjusting noose to hang himself, Michigan man fell on his head and was killed.

JERSEY'S LATEST WILD MAN lived month in haystack, ate lima beans and apples, and wore five pairs of trousers, three shirts and three coats.

STRANGER BOUGHT PAN like those used to take up Billy Sunday thank offerings at Syracuse, and when Billy called for collection began to pass pan around, getting \$35 before he had to run.



PROF. JOHN D. QUACKENBOS

## SERBS TO ESTABLISH A CAPITAL IN ROME

Forced, Like Belgians, to Maintain Government in a Foreign Land.

ROME, Dec. 18.—For the second time since the war began one of the smaller powers of Europe, crushed by the armies of the Kaiser, has been forced to move its capital beyond the borders.

Announcement was made here to-day that the Serbian capital will be established temporarily in Italy, probably in Rome. Early in the war the Belgian King set up his seat of government at Havre, France.

Many of the Serbian deputies have passed through Salonica en route to Rome. Sixty per cent. of our population works indoors. Men labor all day long in offices, overload their stomachs three times a day, going home at night, exhausted, to swallow a meat dinner out of all proportion to their powers of assimilation, and after dinner they smoke themselves into a poisoned sleep. They take no exercise to burn up what they eat, their nutritive equilibrium is disturbed and corpulence and breakdown follow.

## DERBY'S VOLUNTEERS CALLED TO THE COLORS

Groups From Two to Five Ordered to Assemble Jan. 20—Mostly Unmarried Men.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Under Lord Derby's scheme of recruiting, groups from two to five of volunteers who enrolled during the recent campaign will be called to the colors on Jan. 20, it was officially announced to-day.

The results of the Derby campaign have not been made public. Officials gave assurance that the Government will not violate its pledge to married men who enlisted and that single men will be called to the colors first.

## GERMAN MOVE ON EGYPT.

Officers at Constantinople for Inspection of Railways.

GENEVA, Dec. 18.—German railway officials have arrived at Constantinople to inspect the military railway being built from Damascus, supposedly for the Turco-German invasion of Egypt.

With them are a number of engineers who have been employed constructing new railway lines in conquered territory in Russia. German military officials at Constantinople will accompany the party to Damascus.

## 1,786 GERMAN NOBLES HAVE DIED IN THIS WAR

Major Gen. Von Stockhausen Reported to Have Been Killed in Action.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—From the beginning of the war until the last of October 1,786 German nobles were killed in action or died of their wounds, a Rotterdam correspondent reported to-day.

## SUICIDE BY GAS AND ROPE.

Making death doubly sure, Mrs. Jennie Levine, a frail little woman, hung herself from a gas jet at No. 445 East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street, after turning on the gas early to-day. The gas odor brought Mrs. Charles Diamond, owner of the house, to the room.

In a note to the coroner Mrs. Levine said she was suffering from nervous trouble and was tired of being ill. She said her husband, who is a butcher, left for work at 3 o'clock this morning, and before he went out she contrived to place her diamond ring in his coat pocket without his knowledge.

## Sir John Rhys Dead.

OXFORD, England, Dec. 18.—Sir John Rhys died last night. He was 75 years old. Sir John was appointed professor of Celtic at Oxford University in 1877 and master of Jesus College in 1895. He was knighted in 1897. He was the author of a number of works.

## 200 MEN AND DOGS HUNT DESPERADO WHO KILLED TWO

Wild Chase Through Jersey Woods for Slayer Armed With Three Guns.

FEDERICI SHOT RIVAL.

When Police Came to Take Him in Barricade He Gave Battle and Fled.

Special to The Evening World.

LITTLE FALLS, N. J., Dec. 18.—Bloodhounds were this afternoon set to trail Antonio Federici, who killed two officers and wounded two others fighting his way out of a house near here early to-day, when the police ran him down after a long search.

Two hundred men armed with rifles are following the hounds through the deep snow. Federici is armed with a shotgun and two automatic revolvers and he is expected to put up a desperate fight.

Friends of Federici in the Italian section known as "Bloody Ditch," where many disorders have occurred, threatened trouble for the searchers, and several of them were arrested, including the family of James Fuhare, who is the owner of the house in which Federici was surrounded and in which he had been hiding for several weeks. Fuhare, his wife and son and Norman Graham, a driver who claims he did not know Federici when he aided him in getting supplies, have been locked up.

A heavy fall of rain and hail obliterated tracks of the fugitive in the snow after he had been traced a quarter of a mile into the woods. The bloodhounds were then set loose.

For three months the police of East Orange had been seeking Federici and when at midnight he was located in an old house at Cedar Grove, near the Erie Railroad, the place was surrounded. Seven policemen from East Orange, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge with revolvers drawn when one of the men called upon Federici to surrender.

The fugitive instantly opened fire

from a window upon four of the men immediately in front of the place. Robert Shannon of East Orange and William Merts of Bloomfield fell dead under his first fusillade.

Taken completely by surprise, the other policemen ran for the nearest shelter. Federici sent a shower of bullets after them. One caught Patrolman William Higgins of Glen Ridge in the cheek and he fell.

Federici kept up a continuous firing and Patrolman David Wendell of East Orange was shot in the arm as he tried to help Higgins out of danger. When he had driven the police back, Federici ran from the rear door of the house, crossed a small cleared space, and disappeared in the woods. It was not until an hour later when help arrived that his flight was discovered.

Two policemen remained with the dead and wounded men while the other set out for aid. The nearest house was some distance from the scene, and it was almost an hour before Dr. E. L. Ives of Little Falls arrived. The wounded men were hurried to the home and later sent to St. Joseph's Hospital, Paterson.

At the hospital it was found the bullet which passed through Higgins' cheek had lodged near the brain back of his left eye. No operation was attempted and he is unconscious and may die. The bullet which wounded Wendell was taken from his left shoulder and he will recover.

Since Sept. 10 Federici, who is fifty-eight years old, married and lived in Bloomfield, has been sought for shooting at Miss Dora DePuy near her home in East Orange and wounding her escort, Charles Burr. Miss DePuy had been employed in the same establishment with Federici and repulsed his attentions. He had threatened to kill her if she did not run away with him.

## ARTILLERY BATTLES ON THE FRENCH LINE

Paris Reports Effective Fire Against Enemy Transport Wagon Between Somme and Oise.

PARIS, Dec. 18.—The following statement was given out this afternoon at the War Office:

"There were several artillery engagements last night. In the Artois district fighting at close range with torpedoes occurred to the east of Roclincourt. Out batteries bombarded German trenches at Blaireville, to the south of Arras.

"Between the Somme and the Oise, in the region of Chaulnes, our artillery directed an effective fire against a collection of enemy transport wagons."

PARIS, Dec. 18.—A Havas despatch from Athens under yesterday's date says news has been received there that a French liner on the way to Marseilles has been wrecked, and that Mme. Jean Guillemin, wife of the French Minister at Athens, was a passenger, was saved.

The name of the liner was not mentioned in the despatch. She possibly was the steamer Djurjura, which was sunk in a collision with the Empress of England near Malta.

No previous news of the sinking of the Djurjura, a French steamer of 1,812 tons gross, has been received in this country. No steamer named the Empress of England is listed in available shipping records.

## GERMAN SOCIALISTS MAKE MOVE FOR PEACE

Call Upon French Socialists to Abandon Idea of Regaining Alsace-Lorraine.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—German Socialists have issued an appeal to the Socialists of France to help end the war, the Amsterdam correspondent of the Express reported to-day.

The Socialist organ Vorwaerts, in its latest issue, calls upon the Socialists of France to abandon the idea of acquiring Alsace-Lorraine. The Vorwaerts promised that in return the German Socialists would force concessions from the German Chancellor that would result in an early peace.

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## DIRECTORS MUST PAY \$265,000, THE THEFT OF COLEMAN

Court Holds Officials Responsible for Wrecking of Cambridge, Mass., Bank.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—Five directors of the National City Bank of Cambridge, which was wrecked in 1909 by George W. Coleman, a bookkeeper, were found guilty of negligence in connection with the failure of that institution by Judge Bingham in the Federal Court here to-day. Under this ruling depositors will recover approximately \$265,000.

The Court's decision was based on a suit entered by ex-Gov. John L. Bates, as receiver, to hold the President and directors liable for their failure to discover the misconduct of Coleman in time to prevent the whole or any part of the losses during a period of more than three years in which the thefts were committed.

The report of the Master, Judge Robert C. Harris, who found in favor of the directors, was set aside.

Directors held responsible by Judge Bingham are Sumner Dresser, George W. Gale and David A. Harbourn. Two other directors—Edwin Dresser, who was President, and George F. Richardson—have died since the suits were instituted, and the Court directed that judgments be entered against their estates.

Coleman is now serving a fifteen-year term. William J. Kellher, convicted as an accomplice, is serving eighteen years.

The Court held that directors of a national bank in entering upon their duties "impliedly agreed to perform them properly and faithfully, and if by misconduct or negligence they failed in this respect and damage ensues a cause of action arises which the receiver may enforce for the benefit of stockholders and creditors."

## CAR FALLS INTO RIVER; 7 PASSENGERS DROWN

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 18.—Seven persons were killed and ten injured here to-day when a street car plunged through the Division Street Bridge over Spokane River. The car was loaded with early workers.

The killed were in the car more than an hour after it went into the river. The injured were removed to a hospital.

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